

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Hidenori NANKI, et al.

Application No.: 10/764,513

Filed: January 27, 2004



Customer Number: 53080

Confirmation Number: 9962

Group Art Unit: 2186

Examiner: KROPCHECK, Michael C.

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS

Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required.
 Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
 Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	24	21	3	\$50.00 =	\$150.00
Independent Claims	8	8	0	\$210.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$150.00

- Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$150.00.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 16, 2008, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on July 16, 2008, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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